Through all the kingdomes that acknowledge Christ,
Thrice hath the *Hotspur Mars* in swathing clothes,
This infant warriour, in his enterprises,
Discomfited great *Dowglas*, tane him once,
Enlarged him, and made a friend of him,
To fill the mouth of deepe defiance vp,
And shake the peace and safety of our throne.
And what say you to this? *Percy*, *Northumberland*,
The Archbishops Grace of Yorke, *Dowglas*, *Mortimer*,
Capitulate against vs, and are vp.
But, wherefore do I tell these newes to thee?
Why, *Harry* do I tell thee of my foes,
Which art my neer'st and deerest enemy?
Thou that art like enough through vassall feare,
Base inclination, and the start of spleene,
To fight against me vnder *Percyes* pay,
To dog his heeles, and curtsie at his frownes,
To shew how much thou art degenerate.

Prin. Do not thinke so, you shall not finde it so,
And God forgiue them, that so much haue swayde
Your Maiesties good thoughts away from me:
I will redeeme all this on *Percyes* head:
And in the closing of some glorious day
Be bold to tell you that I am your sonne,
When I will weare a garment all of bloud,
And staine my fauours in a bloudy maske,
Which washt away, shall scoure my shame with it.
And that shall be the day, when ere it lights
[illegible] this same child of honour and renowne,
[illegible]nt *Hotspur*, this all-praysed knight,
[illegible] thought of *Harry* chance to meet,
[illegible]r fitting on his helme,
[illegible] multitudes, and on my head
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